GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Revenue Department - Smt. K.Lalitha, former TahsildarSanthanuthalapadu, now Joint Director (Admn,), O/o Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare Department, Guntur - Departmental Proceedings under rule 20 read with rule -24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 - Articles of charges framed and regular inquiry conducted - Charges proved in the enquiry - Penalty of Reduction in Rank to Tahsildar- Imposed - Orders - Issued.

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**REVENUE (VIGILANCE -I) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No.45** **Dated: 17.01.2024**
**Read the following:**

1.From the Dist. Collector, PrakasamLr. No. Rc/E4/2198/2010, Dt.13- 3-2016.
2.LetterNo.VSI(1)/747/2018, dt.13.02.2018 from the CCLA, AP, Vijayawada
3.G.O.Ms.No.260, Revenue(Vig.I) Dept., dt: 28.03.2019
4.G.O.Rt.No.446, Revenue(Vig.I) Dept., dt: 28.03.2019
5.WSD, of Smt. K.Lalitha, former Tahsildar, Santanuthalapadu
6.G.O.Rt.NO.155, Rev.(Vig.I) Dept., dt: 22.1.2020.
7.G.O.Rt.NO.156, Rev.(Vig.I) Dept., dt: 22.1.2020.
8.G.O.Rt.NO.795, Revenue (Vig.I) Dept, dt: 26.09.2022
9.From the Joint Collector cum Inquiry authority, Prakasam District, ONgole, Enquiry report in Rc.A1/e.19037/2019, dt: 02.12.2022
10.Memo.No.16021/18/2017, Rev(Vig.I) Dept., dt:19.05.2023
11.From Smt. K. Lalitha, former Tahsildar, Santanuthalapadu, Explanation, dt: 04.7.2023 & 13.12.2023

**ORDER:**

In the G.Os, 3rd and 4thread above, Common disciplinary proceedings were initiated against Smt. K.Lalitha, former TahsildarSanthanuthalapadu, now Joint Director (Admn,), O/o Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare Department, Guntur, under rule20 read with rule -24 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, on the allegations of Irregular alienation, in violation of the provisions of the Act; illegal mutations in ROR and illegal issue of PPBs and Tittle deeds to an extent of Ac.66.25 Cts., in Sy.No.344 of Pernamitta Village, Santhnuthalapadu Mandal of Prakasam Dist., which is Classified as Inam in the name of Ongole Charitable SadavarthiMatham Trustees. In reply, the charged officer has submitted her Written Statement of Defense, and after examining the same, a regular enquiry has been ordered by appointing Joint Collector-II, Prakasam District and District Revenue Officer, Prakasam as Inquiry Authority and Presenting Officer respectively vide G.Os 6th to 8thread above.

2. The Inquiry Authority cum Joint Collector, Prakasam, Ongole, after conducting enquiry has submitted his enquiry report 9thread above holding the charge as held proved. In the memo, 10th read above, a copy of the enquiry report has been communicated to the Charged Officer, as required under Rule-21(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules,1991. In reply, the Charged Officer has submitted her explanation 11thread above

3. Government, after careful examination of the enquiry report and the explanations submitted thereon by the charged officer Smt. K.Lalitha, former Tahsildar Santhanuthalapadu, now Joint Director(Admn,), O/o Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare Department, Guntur have decided to impose a Penalty of Reduction in Rank to Tahsildar against her, in this matter.

4. Accordingly, Government hereby impose a Penalty of Reduction in Rank to Tahsildar against Smt. K.Lalitha, former TahsildarSanthanuthalapadu, now Joint Director(Admn,), O/o Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare Department, Guntur in the charges framed against her in this matter.

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5. The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri/ District Collector, Prakasam shall take necessary action accordingly.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**AJAY JAIN**
**SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (LANDS &DM)(FAC)**

To
Smt. K.Lalitha, former Tahsildar Santhanuthalapadu, now Joint Director (Admn,), O/o Commissioner, Women Development and Child Welfare Department, Guntur(Through Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri).
The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.

**Copy to:**

The District Collector, Prakasam.
The Accountant General (A&E), Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
SF/SC.

**// FORWARDED::BY ORDER //**

**SECTION OFFICER**